



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application of: Senanayake *et al.*

Confirmation No.: 4449

Application No.: 09/998,195

Group Art Unit: 1621

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Examiner: S. Kumar

For: SYNTHESIS, METHODS OF
USING, AND COMPOSITIONS
OF HYDROXYLATED
CYCLOBUTYLALKYLAMINES

Attorney Docket No.: 4821-409
(CAM 208423-999408)

RESPONSE

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated December 1, 2005 and the advisory action dated May 31, 2006, Applicants submit the following amendments and remarks for entry into the record and consideration by the Examiner. Submitted herewith are a Request for Continued Examination and a Petition for Extension of Time¹, both with provision for the required fee.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected on the listing of claims that begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 5 of this paper.

¹ Because a Notice of Appeal was filed on May 19, 2006, an extension of time for five (5) months from July 19, 2006 is required, as indicated in the Petition for Extension of Time submitted herewith.